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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

As Lycoming College faces strenuous times, there are questions we must ask.

First, can the institution remain solvent when current economic pressures bring income down and increase expenditures for practically every item in the budget? If we cannot remain solvent, then none of the other questions matters much. A bankrupt institution has no reason to ask about academic quality or to make long-range plans--high-sounding phrases in this sad situation are academic exercises in futility.

Fortunately, Lycoming has practiced fiscal responsibility and can look toward the future with a reasonable level of confidence. We have faced the difficult decisions with clarity, consultation, and directness. Personnel reductions have created unhappiness, but it is evident that these decisions were reached with fairness and after lengthy consultation with professional colleagues. Much-needed construction will be delayed until the funds are in hand, even though many argue convincingly that the college should erect buildings now and pay for them later. We have tried to forecast our income and expenditures with maximum thought and needed caution--as a result, Lycoming has earned the right to carry forward academic planning for the future.

Second, this college must ask whether its educational programs truly serve the higher aims of society. Will the Lycoming College graduate be able to earn a living? If he can earn a living, will there also be so appreciation of the highest forms of human experience as seen in religious aspiration, literature, poetry, art, and music? Will he/she have some understanding of the economic forces that help to shape our destiny? Will our graduates contribute positively to society, so that persons and groups can realize their highest potential? Will those who have walked the halls of Lycoming be able to contribute constructively toward a scientific understanding of ourselves, our society, and our physical world?

We wrestle constantly with this second group of questions. Our Long-Range Planning Committee will be successful only as it helps us to see how our financial resources, our academic programs, and our co-curricular experiences help people and society to become better--and to realize the highest human potentiality. "That's what it's all about!"

HAROLD H. HUTSON
President of the College

BUCKLEY AMENDMENT AMENDED

Clarifying amendments to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 remove some of the more controversial provisions of the original act. When more details are available, the Report will carry them.

Arena Theatre Production Chosen Regional Finalist

Lycoming College's ARENA THEATRE production of Chekhov's "The Three Sisters" has been chosen as a regional finalist in the annual American College Theatre Festival Competition, it was announced by Dr. Robert F. Falk, chairman of the theatre department at Lycoming.

The production was one of five selected as representing the best in theatrical production in competition with 35 other colleges and universities in a region comprising New York, New Jersey, and Eastern Pennsylvania. The play will be presented in competition with four others to determine the Eastern Regional winner on January 16-18 at Montclair State College, Montclair, N.J.

Dr. Falk said the Lycoming production is scheduled to be staged at 1 p.m., Saturday, January 18. He said anyone is welcome to attend; however, tickets should be obtained in advance at the Arena Theatre.

Dr. Falk said, "The selection of the production is a signal honor for Lycoming, the theatre, and especially all the students who worked so hard to make this production so successful. 'The Three Sisters' is a difficult play to produce and this award demonstrates the high level of competence we can achieve. I'm proud of everyone."

Other colleges competing for the regional title will include Hunter College, Skidmore College, Edinboro College, and Kingsboro Community College. The winner will advance to the national festival competition to be held next spring in Washington, D.C.

In addition to the play being selected for the regional competition, one of the cast members, MARY ETHEL SCHMIDT, a junior from (cont'd on page 2)

TWO TO RETIRE



Dr. Frances Skeath

M. Raymond Jamison

Two Lycoming College faculty members who will retire at the end of the 1974-75 academic year were guests of honor at the annual faculty-staff Christmas dinner on December 20 in the college dining room.

DR. FRANCES KNIGHTS SKEATH, professor of mathematics, and M. RAYMOND JAMISON, assistant professor of physics and education, were recognized in a brief ceremony conducted immediately following the dinner by Dr. Harold H. Hutson, president of the college. Dr. Skeath will be retiring after 28 years of service to Lycoming and Mr. Jamison will be completing 13 years at the college.

Dr. Skeath, a native of Williamsport, has been a member of the faculty since 1947. She received both her bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from Bucknell and the doctor of education from Pennsylvania State University. She taught in public schools including South Williamsport, before joining the Lycoming faculty.

The retiring professor is the widow of the late Dr. James M. Skeath, who also served many years on the Lycoming faculty prior to his sudden death in 1968. Dr. Skeath is a member of various honor fraternities and was cited in 1956 when she received the Lycoming Merit Award and in 1971 when the school yearbook was dedicated to her honor. (cont'd on page 2)



A scene from the Arena Theatre production of "The Three Sisters"

FOUNDATION FOR INDEPENDENT COLLEGES

Founded in 1952 with 38 colleges and universities as charter members, The Foundation for Independent Colleges now has 48 member institutions in Pennsylvania. All are degree granting, private, and accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

FIC has three major purposes:

1. To encourage self-improvement of member institutions through the increase of financial means necessary for the betterment of educational facilities and services.
2. To present to the various publics of the Commonwealth, particularly to private industry and commerce, the place of the independent college in the economy, culture and progress of our state and national life.
3. To encourage and solicit corporate and other giving to the independent colleges of Pennsylvania as a group.

Solicitation of business and industry each fall is done by two representatives from each institution, usually the president and the development officer. They devote a total of about 9 days per year to solicitation and are assigned to different geographic areas across the state, but never to their own. Between 75 and 85 solicitation calls are made each year to manufacturing, business and commercial establishments by our people.

Funds raised by the foundation are distributed to member institutions by a set formula. Sixty percent is divided equally and 40% in proportion to full-time undergraduate enrollment.

In 1974, Lycoming's share of FIC funds was \$17,471.25. Over the 23 years of membership (Lycoming is a charter member) the College has received \$299,298.77. By agreement with FIC, all funds received are used for operating purposes, not for capital improvements.

In 1953, 63 donors contributed \$55,188 to FIC. In 1973, 725 donors broke the millin-dollar barrier with \$1,010,633. Last year, the number of donors increased to 735, but the total raised dropped to \$974,465.

FIC is one of 39 similar state and regional associations which are represented at the national level by the Independent College Fund of America, Inc. with headquarters in New York City.

Even though Lycoming has been actively involved in FIC for more than twenty years, we find that few people, except those involved either as solicitors or donors, know about its existence or the financial support it has provided. We thought you ought to know.

CONTROVERSIAL QUOTES

"Perhaps the most valuable result of all education is the ability to make yourself do the thing you have to do, when it ought to be done, whether you like it or not; it is the first lesson that ought to be learned; and however early a man's training begins, it is probably the last lesson that he learns thoroughly."

- Thomas H. Huxley

If a cluttered desk is a sign of a cluttered mind, one can't help wondering what an empty desk indicates.

Anonymous

(Editor: I didn't write this, but I love it.)

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LC:3 LIFELONG LEARNING

A new continuing education program designed to give maximum benefits at a minimum of expense and time will be offered by Lycoming College during the spring semester.

DR. ROBERT W. RABOLD, professor of economics and director of special sessions at Lycoming, said the new program will be known as LC:3, Lycoming's Lifelong Learning, and will be conducted during designated evenings throughout the semester. LC:3 provides a variety of non-credit courses to be taught by either regular Lycoming College faculty or qualified residents of the Williamsport area.

Classes will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. for five, six or seven weeks, depending upon the course chosen, and the nominal fee of \$5 per class session will be further reduced by 50 per cent for spouses and children under a special family rate.

Registration for classes can be made any time prior to the first day of the course either by mail or at the business office, Long Hall, between 8 a.m. and noon and from 1 to 4:30 p.m.

The director said 18 courses will be offered in the initial program and probably will be expanded in subsequent semesters if sufficient interest is shown by area residents. LC:3 is another effort by Lycoming to serve the needs and promote the interests of people in the Williamsport area. Its continuation will depend largely on their response.

Among the courses to be offered in this program are music, painting, woodworking, photography, Portuguese, unidentified flying objects, astronomy, history, religion, and others.

ARENA THEATRE (cont'd)

Somerville, N.J., was nominated for the Irene Ryan Acting Scholarship for her portrayal of Olga, the eldest sister. The scholarship was established by Irene Ryan, Granny of the "Beverly Hillsbillies" TV program, to recognize excellence in acting. Miss Schmidt will compete with other nominees during the festival in a 10-minute audition.

"I couldn't be happier for Mary Ethel," said Dr. Falk. "She is an excellent student and a fine actress. Her performance in 'The Three Sisters' was outstanding and I'm delighted that the judge recognized her work and that she will receive the opportunity to perform with the other nominees."



Mary Ethel Schmidt portrays Olga in "The Three Sisters"

Members of "The Three Sisters" cast are: Mrs. Mildred C. Vanderhoof, Dr. Paul A. MacKenzie, Kathy Kennedy, Diane Plumley, Mary Ethel Schmidt, Nancy Cooley, Matt Cendoma, Ilija Arsenovic, Kenneth R. O'Meara, E. Wayne Hughes, Sandra Holland

CAMPUS NOTES

ROGER D. SHIPLEY, chairman of the art department, will have a one-man show of sculpture, prints and drawings at the Allen Clarke Bertrand Gallery, Bucknell University. The show will open January 5, 1975, and run through January 25.

DR. WILLY SMITH of the department of physics presented a talk on "UFO's, A Scientific Problem," to the Lions Club of Lewisburg, Pa., on December 9, 1974.

The Music Department of Lycoming College announced that its newly formed ensemble, The Lycoming College New Music Ensemble, made its first appearance at the Pennsylvania Music Education Association State Convention in Pittsburgh, January 9, 1975.

The student members of the organization are: Karen Suplee, Willingboro, New Jersey, flutist; Gail Gleason, Manhasset, New York, trombonist; Scott Gelnett, Milton, Pennsylvania, percussionist; and David Hiatoo, Roaring Springs, Pennsylvania, synthesist.

The formation of an ensemble of this sort was greatly facilitated through the purchase of electronic music and other instruments made possible by the bequest of the late Margaret S. Hunter.

The work performed is entitled "Lord Stoval's Pavane" and was composed by William Duckworth of the Bucknell University Music Department.

The performance took place in the Pittsburgh Hilton Hotel at 11:15 a.m. on Thursday, January 9, 1975.

TWO TO RETIRE (cont'd)

Mr. Jamison, a native of Allenwood, has been on the faculty since 1962. He graduated from Ursinus College and received his master of arts degree from Bucknell University. He taught in public schools at Danville and Williamsport before accepting a position at Lycoming. He was a longtime track coach at Williamsport High School and also served two years in that position at Lycoming.

Christmas music for the evening was provided by soloists from the College Choir and Concert Band, including Melisse Rougeux and Patrice Lovekin, sopranos; Karen Suplee, flute, and Elizabeth Yarosz, oboe.

APPROXIMATELY FIFTY - FIFTY

As we went to press, final certification for midyear graduates was incomplete. ROBERT J. GLUNK, registrar, indicated that approximately fifty seniors would receive their degree. The certified list of graduates will appear in the February issue.

At the same time, FRANK J. KAMUS, director of admissions, reported that approximately fifty students have enrolled for the spring term who were not in attendance last term. This group includes transfer students, readmitted students and some who are beginning freshmen.

Trying harder than Hertz to meet his "quota," a small college admissions counselor was heard to say: "Small colleges have so many advantages that they should increase their enrollments so that more students could enjoy

SECOND-HALF IMPROVEMENT SEEN FOR INEXPERIENCED LYCO TEAMS

BASKETBALL

It wasn't just coincidence when Dutch Burch, the Warriors' basketball coach, scheduled an unprecedented three holiday tournaments in 1974-75 in the same season when he knew he would have a young and inexperienced team.

Only one starter, John DiMarco, a junior guard, was expected to return from the squad that won the regular season Middle Atlantic Conference championship last year, and Coach Burch was faced with the task of rebuilding the team with mostly freshmen and sophomores.

The Warrior coach believes that exposure to good basketball teams is a quick way to trim the rough edges from an inexperienced squad, and if the early season records of the Warrior opponents are any indication of their ability, the young Lyco team should be honed to a sharp edge for the opening of the second half of play at Susquehanna on January 11.

The Warriors went into the second part of the season with a record of 2-10, but most of the losses came against teams which compiled excellent winning marks during the first month of play. In tournament competition on three successive weekends during the holidays, the Warriors were defeated by such teams as King's College (7-2); Point Park (7-2) and Randolph Macon (8-0). All three teams went on to win the championships in their respective tournaments. The losses also include one to the U.S. Naval Academy in the opening game of the season.

In addition to the losses to King's, Point Park, Randolph-Macon, and Navy, the Warriors dropped other non-conference contests to Baptist Bible, Jersey City College, St. Vincent's, and conference games to Scranton, Wilkes, and Juniata. The two victories came over Bowie State and St. Leo.

No one player is dominating the scoring, although Jeff Billman, the Warriors 6-6 sophomore from Tamaqua, is the leader with an average of 15 in the 12 games. Others who have been scoring fairly consistently are DiMarco, Ray Riggins, Guy Stevens, and



FIRST WIN: Thirty-nine minutes and 59 seconds (actual playing time) after this photograph was taken, the Warriors had captured their first victory of the year, a 65-64 win over Bowie State. The two Warriors are Dennis Schmidt (22), junior guard from Elysburg, Pa., and Bill Conroy (32), a freshman center from Philadelphia, who

BRUCE L. SWANGER

DiMarco's brother Jim, a freshman. Riggins is a sophomore and Stevens a freshman. The Warriors' hopes of improving the second-half record received a setback in the St. Vincent's Tournament when Jim Coyle, a 6-5 sophomore, received a shoulder separation and will probably be lost for the remainder of the season. Coyle, one of the few returning players with varsity experience, had been ineligible the first semester and played in only the two games of the tournament.

WRESTLING

Wrestling coach Budd Whitehill was faced with much the same rebuilding problem as Coach Burch when the season opened, and the young Warriors faced a formidable early season schedule which included such major college powers as Temple, Princeton, and Indiana State College.

As a result, the Warriors returned from the long holiday break with a 1-5 dual meet record and the prospects of facing a strong University of Maryland team in the first meet on January 11. The lone victory came against King's, and the losses, in addition to Temple, Princeton, and Indiana State, were to Montclair State and Oswego.

Coach Whitehill has been using an average of five freshmen in each meet. The remaining five spots have been filled primarily by lettermen, including one sophomore, two juniors, and two seniors. The five freshmen who have been seeing most of the action, Bill Beasley, August Kennaugh, Glenn Felthousen, Brad Young, and Greg Minarchick, went into the Maryland contest with a combined dual meet record of 4-15, while the upperclassmen who have seen the most service, Gary Felthousen, Lloyd Reiter, Dan Hartranft, Terry Shultz, and Randy Parsons, compiled a creditable 12-5-1 mark.

Although the 1-5 record may well be the slowest start in the 18-year history of the sport at Lycoming, Coach Whitehill is optimistic about improving the mark in the final weeks of the season. Of the five losses, only the Indiana State margin was lopsided. Most of the others could have been won with an additional individual match victory.

SWIMMING

The brightest spot in the winter intercollegiate competition at Lycoming has been the performance of swimming team I, competing against girls' squads from other colleges. The team, coached by Steve Muthler '73, went home for the Christmas break undefeated in three meets against Franklin and Marshall, Dickinson, and Elizabethtown. Consistent point winners for Lycoming have been: Lynn Martin, a junior; Josie Vannucci, a freshman, and two seniors, Nancy Colby and Ellen Sharkey.

The record is completely reversed for swimming team II, which competes against men's teams from other colleges. The Warriors, also coached by Muthler, dropped meets to Franklin and Marshall, Dickinson, and Elizabethtown. Two seniors, Greg Bowers and Don Gay, along with Mike Shissler, a junior, and Robert Menzer, a sophomore, have been doing much of the scoring for Lycoming.



TOUGH JOB: Gary Felthousen, the Warriors' 142-pound senior wrestler from Virginia Beach, Va., grimaces as he applies pressure to Dave Vanzile on the way to a 7-1 decision over his Oswego College opponent.

FOOTBALL WARRIORS CHOSEN TO M.A.C. ALL-STAR TEAM

Two members of the Lycoming football defensive unit were named to the 1974 Middle Atlantic Conference All-Star team and a third was given honorable mention on a squad chosen by conference coaches.

Selected to the first team were Tom Vanaskie, a 5-10, 180-pound defensive back and senior co-captain from Shamokin, and Mike Prowant, a 6-3, 220-pound freshman middle guard from South Williamsport. Randy Parsons, a 6-0, 210-pound sophomore linebacker from Camp Hill, was an honorable mention selection. Vanaskie also received additional post-season recognition when he was chosen for honorable mention on both the Associated Press All-America, College Division, team and the AP All-State team, which includes both college and university division players. All three had outstanding years. Vanaskie solidified the defensive secondary from his safety spot and finished among the leaders in the nation in returning punts, including 81 and 64-yard returns for touchdowns. He also picked off three opponent passes to increase his career total to 11 and a share of the Lycoming record for career interceptions. He was among the team leaders in tackles with 45 unassisted and 25 assists, recovered two fumbles, and blocked an extra point attempt.

Prowant lost little time in gaining the respect of opponents and often received double coverage from opposing linemen. He made 29 solo tackles, including 5 sacks of the opposing quarterback, and assisted with 20 additional tackles. He also scored a touchdown in the Delaware Valley game when he blocked a punt on the five-yard line then fell on the ball which had bounded into the end zone.

Parsons, playing his first full year at linebacker after an injury as a freshman, was consistently in the vicinity of the ball carrier. He led the team in both tackles and assists with 50 and 32, respectively, and blocked a punt.



Parsons

Vanaskie

Prowant

CLASS news

Edited by DALE V. BOWER '59



AS A MEANINGFUL YEAR-END GIFT, LET'S GIVE THE COLLEGE AN ALL-FEMALE FACULTY.

Orthodox Presbyterian Chapel in Williamsport, Va.

1965

HAROLD and JUDY (WARDING) GUINN announce the birth of a daughter, Kathryn Lee, born December 7, 1974. The Guinns are living in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

1966

PATRICIA AMMEL NASH and her husband, Cecil, are living in Dallas, Texas. Pat is a secretary to the Chief of Investigations with the U. S. Civil Service Commission. Her division is involved with doing personnel background investigations for appointees or applicants for Federal Service. Cecil is a pharmacist. Their daughter, Debra, is three years old and enjoying nursery school.

EDWARD J. COOVER and his wife, Patricia, announce the birth of a daughter, Trisha Leigh, born early Christmas morning. The Coovers are living in Marietta, Georgia, where he is a minister.

DAVID M. BUSSEY received the master of education degree in mathematics from the Pennsylvania State University on November 30, 1974. He also holds a master of science degree from the University of Illinois.

1967

BETTY (HIPPLE) and David BONAZZI announce the birth of a daughter, Heather Angele, born October 1, 1974. Since David's two other daughters, Christy, age four, and Crystal, age two, are living with them also, Betty is taking a year off from teaching at Loyalsock Valley Elementary School to assume her role as mother. She plans to return to teaching next year. They live in Trout Run.

1969

THOMAS M. HOPKINS received the master of arts degree in German from the Pennsylvania State University at their fall commencement on November 30, 1974. He is married to the former LYNNE CLINCH. The Hopkins live in Lock Haven.

1970

JOANNE FURCILLO and Glenn Albano were married July 26th at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, Asbury Park, N.J. In attendance were KERMIT and ISABEL (ALVAREZ) BORLAND, WARREN and DIANNE (DAVIS) JOHNSON and JOHNNY and JEANNE (GREENE) CASTALDO. JoAnne and Glenn are living in Freehold, N.J., where she is teaching 4th grade at the Wansassa Elementary School, Ocean, N.J.

RAY and MARYLYN (OLAFSEN) KELLER are living in Mountaineer, N.J. Ray is with the same company he started with in 1970, and Marylyn, after teaching Spanish for four years, resigned her job and is spending some time at their home. She reports no family or pets yet.

ANNE LOUISE YOXTHEIMER and Norman M. Lubin were married November 2, 1974. Judge Thomas C. Raup performed the double-ring rites in the Lycoming County Courthouse. Anne is employed as a book buyer by Bro-Dart Industries. Her husband is an attorney.

1971

RON McELWEE spoke at the Newburg Community Thanksgiving Service. Ron is pastor of the Reformed United Methodist Church in Roxbury, Pa.

1972

ROBERT A. KURTZKE and CAROL KERSBERG '74 were married on January 5, 1975, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Summit, N.J. Among those in the wedding party were TOM WILLIAMS '74, ROSS KRAUTWALD '74, JIM KURTZKE '77, GALE GRAFE '73 and SUE PRESTON '74. Carol is working in the Bacteriology Lab at Jersey Shore Medical Center, Neptune, N.J., and Rob is a manager at Dunlop & Lisk in Matawan, N.J.

1973

MURL E. CLARK is listed in the 1974 edition, "Outstanding Young Men of America". Murl is park manager at Dutch Wonderland. Criteria for inclusion in Outstanding Young Men of America are service to others, professional excellence, business advancement, charitable activities and civic and professional recognition. Men chosen for this distinction must be between the ages of 21 and 35. Murl is a member of numerous service, charitable and professional organizations in the Lancaster and Harrisburg areas.

R. WAYNE TOMLINSON and SANDRA FAUBER '74 were married April 20, 1974, in New Providence, N.J. MARYLYN (OLAFSEN) KELLER '70 was matron of honor. DOUG YOUNGER was best man and JODY WOLFRUM was an usher.

WILLIAM M. SOLIS and Audrey E. Nubile were married November 30, 1974, in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Bogota. Ushers were RALPH HOOK '72, GENE DODARO, BOB MOYER and DAN LANGDON. Bill and Audrey are living in Amandale, Va. Bill is employed by the Department of Agriculture in Washington, D. C.

1974

SHARON A. MEADE was married to Will Gover, Jr., on August 31, 1974. The wedding party included AL LOCKWOOD '76. Will is continuing his education at Glassboro State College. Sharon is working for the Salem County Health Department, training to be a sanitary inspector.

JOHN MARCK recently completed the marketing management training program and is now working in product management for Hanover Brand Foods, Hanover, Pa. He and his wife, Pam, frequently socialize with BILL LASHER, JAY BITTNER, KATHY KELLY and PAT (WARD) and JOHN HELL.

1974 (Continued)

JEFFREY L. RICHARDS has been hired as an accountant and purchasing agent for the Jersey Shore Area School District.

VICKI FARISH is attending graduate school at George Mason University, Fairfax, Va., working for a Master of Arts in English.

JOHN R. CROWLEY and Susan J. Nelson were married on October 5, 1974, at the Epworth Methodist Church in Falls Church, Va. Linda Nelson '76 was maid of honor. DEBBIE (ECKERT) MEYERS and JANE HILEMAN were bridesmaids. JIM LARROCCA and WAYNE GREAR were ushers. The Crowleys are now living in Pitman, N.J.

PAMELA KAY PENNINGTON was married to Robert J. Miller on August 3, 1974. She is employed as a receptionist at the Pediatric Clinic where Bob is a second-year medical student at Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia.

KAREN E. KNOUSE is working in Kansas City, Mo., as an insurance adjuster for General Adjustment Bureau, Inc. She is a trainee in Auto/Casualty.

NECROLOGY

1910 - Mail was returned marked "Deceased" from CORA GRUBB. She had been living in Freehold, Pa.

1915 - Mail was returned marked "Deceased" which had been addressed to CARL E. KARNIS in Altoona.

1932 - AUGUST J. FERRARI died June 6, 1972, but word was just received at our office recently. He had been living in Youngwood, Pa. He is survived by his wife.

Alumni, Parents, Friends Invited to Participate in May Term 1975 Through "A Cultural Tour of the Soviet Union"

The Russian Department, in conjunction with the Soviet Area Studies Program at Lycoming College in Williamsport, Pa., is offering a cultural tour of the Soviet Union from approximately May 5th to June 6th, 1975. Under the arrangements with the State Bureau of Tourism of the USSR, this group will visit Leningrad, Pushkin, Moscow, Novgorod, Zagorsk, Kiev, Odessa and Lvov. In addition, the group will spend several days in Denmark, Finland, and Hungary, as well as traverse the Baltic aboard the M/S Finlandia. Experience has shown that such an itinerary provides an excellent perspective from which to view Scandinavian, Soviet, and Eastern European life styles.

Within the framework of the tour, participants will have opportunities to meet informally with Soviet people of all ages, attend theatre performances, visit a factory and/or collective farm, go on excursions and sightseeing tours of the Hermitage, Winter and Summer Palaces, Moscow State University, the Kremlin, Lenin Mausoleum, Tretyakov Gallery, St. Sophia Cathedral, etc., and meet political officials. In each Soviet city, excursions will be conducted by experienced English-speaking guides. Ample free time will also be available for those who wish to examine aspects of Soviet life on their own. This is an invaluable opportunity to experience an exciting cultural immersion and learn about the socio-political system that is so radically different from North American and European models. RUSSIAN LANGUAGE DEFINITELY NOT REQUIRED.

Arrangements can be made for anyone wishing to remain in Western Europe after the official end of the trip.

This opportunity is open to all interested persons. Students participating in the tour may obtain course credits in Economics, History, Fine Arts, Political Science, Sociology or Theatre.

Approximate cost: \$850-\$900 plus required audit fee of \$82.50. Registration deadline: March 31, 1975. However, due to limited space on the tour and processing requirements, an early indication of your interest is highly recommended.

Contact: Prof. Leo K. Winston, Dept. of Foreign Languages, Lycoming College, Williamsport, Pa. 17701 Tel. (717)326-1951.

A COMPLETE LISTING OF MAY TERM COURSES AND TOURS WILL APPEAR IN THE FEBRUARY REPORT.

1922

GRANVILLE K. FRISBIE retired from his profession of the military and from a short sojourn into the field of religion as an ordained minister of the Religious Science Movement's Science of Mind Church. He has retired from his regular profession as a doctor of chiropractic. Mr. Frisbie has recently returned from an extended trip to New Zealand and Australia where he taught a class of seventy-five doctors in his speciality, "Neurological Analysis and Controlled Adjusting of the Spine". The class was held in Sydney, Australia under the auspices of the Sydney College of Chiropractic. He was accompanied by his wife, Elizabeth.

1923

CHARLES E. SUBOCK had an emergency trip to Johns Hopkins Hospital in November. He is much better now and will enter Asbury Home in the spring.

1957

MARIANNA CIRAUOLO will open the Asolo Opera Theatre in Sarasota, Florida, in January. She will be doing five performances of *Lucia* and two of *Die Zauberflote*. JIM POUILLIOTT '60 is directing these operas in this very successful Florida opera house. The setting is a former Ringling mansion. Alumni in Florida will want to see these two Lycoming alumni as they bring honor to their alma mater through opera.

1959

GEORGE A. NICHOLS was unanimously elected to serve as president of the Abington Heights Board of School Directors at a recent meeting. George, elected to the board in 1971, served as vice president for the past year. He is general manager of Nichols Village Motor Inn and is a member of the advisory board of Northeastern Bank. He is a past president of Rotary Club and of the Abington and past director of Lackawanna United Fund. George is serving his second term as president of the Lycoming College Alumni Association. George, his wife, Mary Ann, and their four children reside in Newton, just outside Clark Summit.

JOSEPH J. MNICK has been named resident manager of Bethesda Sales Corporation's Greenboro, N.C., sales office. Joe had been a salesman in the Baltimore sales district. Joe and his wife have four children.

JOSEPH J. MNICK



1960

CHARLES H. BERRY is a Lt. Comdr. in the United States Navy. He has recently accepted a position as special assistant to the technical director for Polaris/Poseidon/Trident Submarine Navigation Systems in his Navy. Previous recent experience included a tour of duty as the combat system design coordinator for nuclear attack submarines, and prior to that, a highly successful tour as navigator on a Poseidon missile submarine. Space time activities include membership in the Rotary Club of North Bethesda and recreation as a glider pilot and flight instructor in airplanes. Charles, his wife, the former Linda Rae Miller, and their ten-year-old son, Bobby, have been living in Potomac, Maryland.

1961

JACK D. CAIN, director of personnel at Williamsport Hospital, has been appointed to the education committee of the American Society for Hospital Personnel Administration. Jack has held key positions in the organization since 1971 when he was elected secretary-treasurer. With his appointment to the education committee, he will be involved in developing a program in personnel education for the national convention to be held in Pittsburgh next July.

1964

H. MORTON WHITMAN and Jennifer Anne Davoud were married on Saturday, Dec. 7, 1974. Morton is pastor of the Westminster

